

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our name, and we verily believe we are the original inventors of the subject matter which is claimed for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

System And Method For Deploying A Virtual Laboratory Environment For A Business

the application of which

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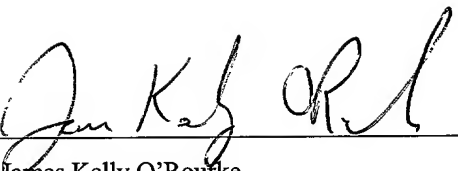
We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the attached or the above-identified application including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Sections 365, 120 and/or 119 of all United States, PCT international and/or foreign application(s) listed below and insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in such prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a), which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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I hereby appoint as my attorneys and/or agent(s) George W. Moxon II, Reg. No. 26,615, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. Address all telephone calls to George W. Moxon II at telephone number (330) 535-5711. Please mail all correspondence to George W. Moxon II, Brouse McDowell, 500 First National Tower, Akron, OH 44308-1471.

I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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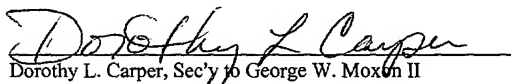
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ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The undersigned attorney, being a representative of TAK Industrial Corporation, the Assignee of the present invention, hereby asserts that the Assignee is a small business as defined in 37 CFR 1.9 (d) for purposes of paying reduced fees under section 41 (a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the above invention described in the specification filed herewith, and therefore entitled to small entity status. Accordingly, when appropriate, small entity fees will be paid during prosecution of this application.

If there are any questions regarding this assertion, a telephone call to the undersigned attorney is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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